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Applicant : Hisao Kawata et al.  
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December 16, 2004

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 24, 2004, please amend the application, as follows:

**Amendments to Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.